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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated April 16, 2007, now due to expire July 16, 2007, be extended for three month(s) and set to expire on October 16, 2007.

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